

### REMARKS

Applicant has filed the instant continuation application to secure additional subject matter not allowed by the examiner in the parent application. Applicant also notes that an RCE was filed in the parent application.

Applicant has amended the specification to correct minor errors noted in prosecution of the parent application.

Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement listing art cited in the related PCT application, and art cited in the De Marcken reference U.S. Patent 6,307,572 entitled "Graphical User Interface For Travel Planning System." Copies of the art from the Issued patent will be forwarded at a later date.

Applicant has amended claim 1 from the parent application to more particularly point out distinguishing features. For instance claim 1 now recites that the tabular region displays summarized criteria of a set of travel options, as a plurality of cells that act as controls. Claim 1 also recites that the second region displays selected travel options resulting from filtering the set of travel options in accordance with a control actuated in the tabular region.

Claims 2-9 and claim 18 add distinguishing features.

Claim 10 was amended to add displaying a summary of the travel options in a graphical user interface according to the bins.

Claims 11-17 and claim 19 add distinguishing features.

Applicant notes that new claim 20 is similar to claim 1, but is broader since it does not recite the second region of the graphical user interface. Claim 20 distinguishes since the art does not teach a tabular region of the graphical user interface that displays summarized criteria of a set of travel options as a plurality of cells that act as controls.

Claims 21-26 add distinguishing features.

New claim 27 claims a computer program product and is of similar scope as claim 10.

Claims 28-31 add distinguishing features.

New claim 32 is directed to a computer program product and is of similar scope as claim

1. Claims 33-39 add distinguishing features.

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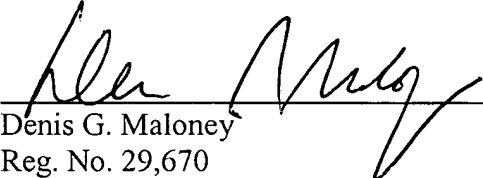
New claims 40 and 45 distinguish at least because the references neither describe nor suggest determining bins for criteria included in the travel options, associating the travel options with bins, determining intersections of the bins and generating a table based at least in part on the intersections of the bins and displaying the table in a graphical user interface.

Claims 41-44 and 46-49 add distinguishing features.

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